

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventors: Futoshi DEGUCHI, et al. Art Unit 2635
Appln. No.: 10/743,899 Exr. V. Brown
Filed: December 24, 2003
For: NON-CONTACT IC CARD READING/WRITING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Honorable Commissioner of
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the office action of November 16, 2005,
please amend the above application as follows:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)Applicant(s): **Futoshi DEGUCHI, et al.**

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9198**NON-CONTACT IC CARD READING/WRITING APPARATUS****COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

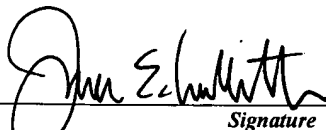
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